

## GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY DEPARTMENT – Centrally Sponsored Scheme "Assistance to States for Control of Animal Diseases" – Veterinary Biological & Research Institute, Hyderabad – Purchase of Mahindra Bolero LX MDI Jeep for transportation of viral vaccines at a cost of Rs.4,75,992.72 lakhs during 2009-2010 – Permission – Accorded – Orders – Issued.

## ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRY DEVELOPMENT & FISHERIES (AH.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Rt. No. 568

Dated 26<sup>th</sup> November, 2009. Read the following:

- 1. G.O. Ms.No.170, Finance (W&M) Department, dated 06.07.2005.
- 2. G.O. Ms.No.214, Finance (W&M) Department, dated 20.8.2009.
- 3. Govt. Memo.No.223/AH.III(2)/09-1, dated 26.3.2009.
- 4. From the Director of Animal Husbandry, Letter Roc.No.26655/KIII/K7/2008, dated 1.9.2009.



## ORDER:

In the letter fourth read above, the Director of Animal Husbandry has reported that the Veterinary Biological & Research Institute, Hyderabad is producing 11 different types of vaccines i.e., 3.00 crore doses of bacterial vaccines and 5.00 crore doses of viral vaccines at a total value of Rs.10.00 crores per year. The vaccines produced are supplied at free of cost to the field Veterinary institutions located through out the State for taking preventive vaccination and control of diseases among the livestock and poultry. In order to maintain quality, efficacy ad potency of vaccines as per the Drug Control Authority guidelines, proper care has to be taken to maintain cold chain facilities. The viral vaccines produced are to be stored at -20 C to maintain the quality at the point of production, during transportation and until it reaches the animal body. If they are not stored property during transportation, certain chemical changes, death of the organism and decay of antigen taken place which affects the quality, efficacy and potency of the vaccine. At present, the viral vaccines are transported in cool boxes by adding ice blocks, through rail or private road transport which takes long time to reach to the field institutions. In order to meet the above requirements, a vehicle carrying temperature controlled box as mentioned above is very much essential for the Institute, which will enable the Vaccine Production Unit to transport the viral vaccine in good condition and also reduce the time for distribution of viral vaccines from production point to receiving points to a greater extent.

2. The Director of Animal Husbandry has further reported that Government in the reference third read above has permitted to hire a vehicle for the purpose of transportation of viral vaccines, The private vehicle owners are not willing to convert the vehicle to fix the cold chain box. Hence there is absolute necessity to purchase a new vehicle for the Veterinary Biological & Research Institute, Hyderabad. The Road Transport Authorities have recommended purchasing a "Mahindra Bolero LX MDUI Jeep which has the characteristics of strong body, maintenance is easy and cheaper, road grip is more and road clearance is good. Quotations have been called for from the three different firms and Mahindra Bolero LX MDI, TC 2WD Jeep is quoted at Rs.4,75,992.72. As regards availability of budget, there are sufficient funds provided by Government of India under "Assistance to States for Control of Animal Diseases (ASCAD)". The activities to be covered under ASCAD Scheme are to control the animal diseases effectively in the State. In view of the above, the Director of Animal Husbandry has requested the Government to accord permission, as a special case, to purchase the vehicle "Mahindra Bolero LX MDI TC 2 WD Jeep" at a cost of Rs.4,75,992.72 to transport the viral vaccines from the Veterinary Biological & Research Institute, Hyderabad to all the field Veterinary Institutions in the State, so as to maintain quality, efficacy and potency of vaccines supplied.

- 3. After careful examination of the proposal of the Director of Animal Husbandry, permission is hereby accorded to the Veterinary Biological and Research Institute, Hyderabad to purchase a "Mahindra Bolero LX MDI TC 2 WD Jeep" at a cost of Rs.4,75,992.72 during 2009-2010 for transportation of Viral Vaccines from production point to distribution points i.e., various field Veterinary Institutions located in the State, in relaxation of ban orders on purchase of vehicles issued in the references first and second read above.
- 4. The expenditure sanctioned in para 3 above shall be debited to "2403-Animal Husbandry, 101 Veterinary Services and Animal Health (10) Centrally Sponsored Scheme (11) Veterinary Biological Research Institute 510 Motor Vehicles (PLAN)".
- 5. The Director of Animal Husbandry shall take further necessary action.
- 6. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (W&M) Department vide their U.O. No. 27362/988/A2/W&M/09, dated 4.11.2009.

## (BY ORDEER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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The Director of Animal Husbandry, Hyderabad.

The Joint Director (AH), Veterinary Biological & Research Institute, Hyderabad through the Director of Animal Husbandry.

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The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, Hyderabad.

The Accountant General, A.P., Hyderabad.

The Finance (WM) Department

The Principal Secretary to Chief Minister.

The P.S. to Minister (AH,DD,F&VU).

The P.S. to Special Chief Secretary to Government, AHDD&F Department.

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